Herb Belcourt has spent his life enriching communities and individuals he has lived and worked with since 1975. His entrepreneurial and philanthropic spirit has impacted thousands of people in Alberta and across Canada. Herb has humbly and most deservedly, received many honours throughout his amazing lifetime. Herb has excelled professionally and chose to give back to his community through significant contributions to education and access to affordable housing.

Strathcona County declared January 24 as "Herb Belcourt Day" in Strathcona County. Herb Belcourt Park has been named in his honour along Sherwood Drive, in Sherwood Park, Alberta.

In December 2016, Herb was diagnosed with a terminal illness and was given 30 days to look after his estate. He has outlived that somewhat and is still getting around on his own but is preparing for palliative care.

A group of his friends and colleagues have undertaken to provide a lasting memorial, for a man who impacted the lives of so many Albertans and Canadians.

We endeavour to place a large stone bearing a plaque with his photograph and a suitable quote, so future generations are aware of the impact Mr. Belcourt made on our World. We would also like to install a picnic table, so visitors have a place to sit and reflect on Herb's many contributions to our community.

Such an undertaking has some costs associated with it. For this reason, we are approaching individuals and organizations to ask for assistance in making this memorial a reality. Our goal is to raise the approximately \$5000.00 by May 30, 2017. If we exceed the funds needed to launch this Memorial Project, those funds will be donated to Belcourt Brosseau Metis Awards Scholarship Fund.

We ask you consider a donation to help keep the legacy of Dr. Herb Belcourt, in the hearts and minds of fellow Canadians. Cheques can be made out to the Kiwanis Club of Sherwood Park indicating clearly that this is for the Herb Belcourt Memorial. We thank the Kiwanis Club for stepping forward to assist us in this worthy cause.

Thank you Sincerely,

Subject:

Herb Belcourt Memorial

Please see breakdown of costs for the Herb Belcourt project for required.

application. I can provide invoices if

Rock & Delivery to Sherwood Park:

\$972.68

2' x2' aluminum plaque:

\$3,304.96

TOTAL(not including gst):

\$4277.64

Donations collected:

\$1425.00

**Total remaining:** 

\$2826.64